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Kim C. HARDEE

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Title: VOLTAGE DOWN CONVERTER

WITH SWITCHED HYSTERESIS

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Consent of Assignee

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Sir:

United Microelectronics Corporation, assignee of U.S. Patent No. 6,300,810 consents to the filing of the present reissue application for the reissue of U.S. Patent No. 6,300,810.

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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)					
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ASSIGNMENT

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WHEREAS, I, Kim C. HARDEE, having a residence address of 970 R Carson Lane, Colorado Springs, Colorado 80920, have made a certain new and useful invention relating to VOLTAGE DOWN CONVERTED WITH SWITCHED HYSTERESIS, for which I am making or have made application for Letters Patent of the United States, said application being identified by Docket No. UMI 215, Client/Matter No. 80450.0019.001, in the law firm of Hogan & Hartson ம, One Tabor Center, 1200 Seventeenth Street, Suite 1500, Denver, Colorado, 80202, which is being executed concurrently herewith; and

WHEREAS, I now own the entire right, title and interest therein; and

WHEREAS, United Memories, Inc., a Colorado corporation, whose post office address is 4815 List Drive, Suite 109, Colorado Springs, CO 80919, and Nippon Steel Semiconductor Corporation, a Japanese corporation whose post office address is Tateyama Plant, 1580 Yamamoto, Tateyama-shi, Chiba 294, Japan, hereinafter collectively known as ASSIGNEES, are desirous of acquiring the entire interest in and to said invention, said application, and the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor,

NOW THEREFORE, upon consideration of my employment and other good and valuable consideration, the adequacy of which is hereby acknowledged, I do hereby sell and assign unto ASSIGNEES, and said ASSIGNEES' legal representatives, successors, and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention, said application, all applications claiming priority therefrom, and the Letters Patent, both of the United States and of other countries, and inventor's certificates, that may or shall issue thereon; and I do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent to ASSIGNEES, consistent with the terms of this Assignment.

UPON SAID CONSIDERATION, I do hereby covenant and agree with ASSIGNEES that I will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with

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this assignment, and that I will, at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration, but at the expense of ASSIGNEES, execute such additional assignments and other writings and do such additional acts as ASSIGNEES may deem necessary or desirable to perfect the ASSIGNEES' enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in applying for and obtaining original, continuation, continuation-in-part, divisional, reexamined, renewal, reissued or extended Letters Patent of the United States, or of other countries, or inventor's certificates, on said invention, and in enforcing any rights or causes in action accruing as a result of such applications, certificates, or patents, by giving testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such applications, certificates, or patents, and by executing preliminary statements and other affidavits, it being understood that the foregoing covenant and agreement shall bind, and inure to the benefit of, the assigns and legal representatives of both parties.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal on the date hereinafter set forth.

Date: Jan 26 2000 STATE OF COLORADO **SS**. COUNTY OF EL PASO

On this 26th day of January, 2000, before me, a notary public in and for said county, appeared, Kim C. HARDEE who is personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he signed, sealed, and delivered the same instrument as a free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

My commission expires Nay 17, 2001

Witness my hand and official seal.

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ASSIGNMENT

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, United Memories Inc., having a principal place of business at 4815 List Drive, Suite 109, Colorado Springs, CO 80919 ("Assignor"), hereby assigns, transfers, and conveys to United Microelectronics Corporation ("UMC"), having a principal place of business at No. 3 Li Hsin Road 2, Science Based Industrial Park, Hsin Chu City, Taiwan ("Assignee"), its designees, successors, assigns, and legal representatives, the entire right, title, and interest in and to the patents and applications listed in Exhibit A, attached hereto and made a part hereof, and any reexaminations, extensions, reissues, continuations and divisions thereof, and all proceeds from any of the foregoing (including all license royalties and proceeds of infringement suits), and any and all causes of actions (excepting claims against the United States of America) for past, present, and future infringement of any of the foregoing, including the right to collect royalties or damages for any such infringement and the right to sue on any such causes of action, for their own use and benefit and the use and benefit of their successors, assigns, and legal representatives, each and every of the foregoing rights, titles, and interests herein assigned to be held and enjoyed by Assignee, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignors had this Assignment not been made.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignors have caused this Assignment to be duly executed in their names and behalf by affixing their hands and seals thereto by their designated officer, director, or agent, whose name and title appear below.

Executed at Colorado Springs, Colorado, and effective March 3, 1999.

United Memories, Inc.

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